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Later News from Texas by a few days was received at New Orleans on the 31st ult. The result of the recent election in Texas was still, owing to bad roads, not ascertained, but Gen. J. P. Henderson was thought was certainly chosen Governor, and Hon. N. H. Darwell, Lieut. Governor. Senators known to be elected, were Edward Burleson, Col. V. E. Howard, Col. Coney, Judge Williamson, Edward Chambers, and N. D. Brasher.

A letter from Corpus Christi, dated on the 17th instant, is published in the Houston Telegraph. We give the following extracts:

From four to six vessels arrive daily at Corpus Christi, and their cargoes meet with a ready sale. The Mexican traders feel secure, and come here in large numbers, always leaving the specie for what they carry off.

Four of the finest horses belonging to the company of Capt. Bell were taken on the night of the 6th inst. The company went in pursuit of the thieves on the following morning, but little hope was entertained that they would be recaptured.

Great Fire at Concord, N. H.—\$66,000 worth of property destroyed.—A slip from Hill's Patriot Office, Concord, dated 4 o'clock yesterday morning, gives the particulars of a fire that broke out a little past 12 o'clock, in the extensive frame buildings at the depot of the Concord Railroad Co., occupied by the Messrs. Gilmore & Clapp, for their extensive wholesale grocery establishment, and by the Railroad Company, as a car house, which, at this hour, with almost all the contents, is reduced nearly to a heap of ruins. When discovered, the flames had made such progress as to defy the attempts of the fire companies, and their efforts were principally directed to stopping their extension on the south, towards the Railroad Passenger Depot. The building contained an immense amount of W. I. goods and groceries, comprising a large quantity of flour, lime, oil, plaster, pork, fish, iron, &c., &c., besides four valuable passenger cars, and three baggage cars, belonging to the Railroad, nearly all of which is destroyed, or so much injured as to be almost a total loss. Messrs. Gilmore & Clapp had recently finished taking an account of their stock, which they valued at \$56,000. On this \$10,000 was insured at the Hartford Fire Ins. Co., and \$15,000 in the Manufacturers' Firemen's, and National Ins. Companies in Boston—\$5000 in each. The Railroad Company have lost \$10,000—including the building worth \$4000 or \$5000, and cars worth \$6000, on which there is said to be no insurance. The total loss will doubtless reach \$66,000.

The origin of the fire is not, at this time, definitely ascertained. It is supposed, however, to have taken from the stove in one of the cars, which arrived at 9 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

Alteration of the Jewish Sabbath.—A German paper states that the Jewish reform Committee, sitting at Frankfurt, at the head of which are Messrs. Goldschmidt, advocate, Creusenach, professor and Schwartzchild, physician; and to which all the most eminent Jews of Germany have adhered, has just taken an important resolution. It has decided that Jewish Sabbath shall be kept on Sunday. The committee has appointed divine services to be performed on Sunday, in the new Jewish Temple in that city. The names of several Jewish preachers are mentioned as destined to take part in it.

One of the keenest pieces of rogery that has transpired for some time, was that of a fellow in New York, who thrust some pieces of paper into the aperture of the letter box at the post office, by which the letters were prevented from passing through, and he made a "grab" upon them from the outside. Whether they contained any money or not, has not yet been ascertained.

BEAR HUNTING.—A letter from Currituck Co., N. C., states that there had been some rare sport in that neighborhood about the 30th ult. It appears that the great fires in the Dismal Swamp last fall, having destroyed the food, had driven great numbers of bears to seek sustenance on its borders; and as they were making very free with the pigs, &c., of the farmers, a party turned out in pursuit of them, and in the course of a few days they killed no less than nineteen full grown bears, besides taking one alive, which was treed by the dogs.

Powder Mill blown up.—We learn that a house attached to the powder mill of John Carlin Esq., in Bennington, was blown up on Wednesday night last. It was estimated that there was about 180 kegs of powder, undergoing the process of drying. The spread of the fire was so rapid that it was found impossible to save any of the powder! Mr. Carlin's house was a good deal damaged, and his other buildings were much shattered. Loss estimated at about \$1,000; no insurance, of course.

(Nashua Telegraph.)

FARMERS NOTICE.

It is requested that a general meeting of the Farmers of Rutland County be held at Rutland on Tuesday the 27th inst., to take into consideration the importance of forming for this County an Agricultural Society under the law of the State providing for the formation of such Societies. All are earnestly invited to attend.

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Messrs. Truman Smith, Garret Davis, and C. B. Smith, from the Com. on Foreign Relations in the House of Representatives have presented a minority report in which they assume that the authority of giving the twelve months notice to England, abrogating the joint occupancy of Oregon, rests only with the treaty making power; and in this opinion they are ably sustained. It would appear that President Polk, in asking the House of Representatives to do that which belongs only to himself, and the Senate to do—is disposed to dodge the lightning from his own thunder.

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WHEN DISCOVERED, THE FLAMES HAD MADE SUCH PROGRESS AS TO DEFY THE ATTEMPTS OF THE FIRE COMPANIES, AND THEIR EFFORTS WERE PRINCIPALLY DIRECTED TO STOPPING THEIR EXTENSION ON THE SOUTH, TOWARDS THE RAILROAD PASSENGER DEPOT. THE BUILDING CONTAINED AN IMMENSE AMOUNT OF W. I. GOODS AND GROCERIES, COMPRISING A LARGE QUANTITY OF FLOUR, LIME, OIL, PLASTER, PORK, FISH, IRON, &C., &C., BESIDES FOUR VALUABLE PASSENGER CARS, AND THREE BAGGAGE CARS, BELONGING TO THE RAILROAD, NEARLY ALL OF WHICH IS DESTROYED, OR SO MUCH INJURED AS TO BE ALMOST A TOTAL LOSS. MESSRS. GILMORE & CLAPP HAD RECENTLY FINISHED TAKING AN ACCOUNT OF THEIR STOCK, WHICH THEY VALUED AT \$56,000. ON THIS \$10,000 WAS INSURED AT THE HARTFORD FIRE INS. CO., AND \$15,000 IN THE MANUFACTURERS' FIREMEN'S, AND NATIONAL INS. COMPANIES IN BOSTON—\$5000 IN EACH. THE RAILROAD COMPANY HAVE LOST \$10,000—including the building worth \$4000 or \$5000, and cars worth \$6000, ON WHICH THERE IS SAID TO BE NO INSURANCE. THE TOTAL LOSS WILL DOUBTLESS REACH \$66,000.

THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE IS NOT, AT THIS TIME, DEFINITELY ASCERTAINED. IT IS SUPPOSED, HOWEVER, TO HAVE TAKEN FROM THE STOVE IN ONE OF THE CARS, WHICH ARRIVED AT 9 O'CLOCK ON TUESDAY EVENING.

ALTERATION OF THE JEWISH SABBATH.—A GERMAN PAPER STATES THAT THE JEWISH REFORM COMMITTEE, SITTING AT FRANKFURT, AT THE HEAD OF WHICH ARE MESSRS. GOLDSCHMIDT, ADVOCATE, CREUSENACH, PROFESSOR AND SCHWARTZCHILD, PHYSICIAN; AND TO WHICH ALL THE MOST EMINENT JEWS OF GERMANY HAVE ADHERED, HAS JUST TAKEN AN IMPORTANT RESOLUTION. IT HAS DECIDED THAT JEWISH SABBATH SHALL BE KEPT ON SUNDAY. THE COMMITTEE HAS APPOINTED DIVINE SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED ON SUNDAY, IN THE NEW JEWISH TEMPLE IN THAT CITY. THE NAMES OF SEVERAL JEWISH PREACHERS ARE MENTIONED AS DESTINED TO TAKE PART IN IT.

ONE OF THE KEENEST PIECES OF ROGUEERY THAT HAS TRANSPICED FOR SOME TIME, WAS THAT OF A FELLOW IN NEW YORK, WHO THROST SOME PIECES OF PAPER INTO THE APERTURE OF THE LETTER BOX AT THE POST OFFICE, BY WHICH THE LETTERS WERE PREVENTED FROM PASSING THROUGH, AND HE MADE A "GRAB" UPON THEM FROM THE OUTSIDE. WHETHER THEY CONTAINED ANY MONEY OR NOT, HAS NOT YET BEEN ASCERTAINED.

BEAR HUNTING.—A LETTER FROM CURRITUCK CO., N. C., STATES THAT THERE HAD BEEN SOME RARE SPORT IN THAT NEIGHBORHOOD ABOUT THE 30TH ULT. IT APPEARS THAT THE GREAT FIRES IN THE DISMAL SWAMP LAST FALL, HAVING DESTROYED THE FOOD, HAD DRIVEN GREAT NUMBERS OF BEARS TO SEEK SUSTENANCE ON ITS BORDERS; AND AS THEY WERE MAKING VERY FREE WITH THE PIGS, &C., OF THE FARMERS, A PARTY TURNED OUT IN PURSUIT OF THEM, AND IN THE COURSE OF A FEW DAYS THEY KILLED NO LESS THAN NINETEEN FULL GROWN BEARS, BESIDES TAKING ONE ALIVE, WHICH WAS TREED BY THE DOGS.

POWDER MILL BLOWN UP.—WE LEARN THAT A HOUSE ATTACHED TO THE POWDER MILL OF JOHN CARLIN ESQ., IN BENNINGTON, WAS BLOWN UP ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT LAST. IT WAS ESTIMATED THAT THERE WAS ABOUT 180 KEGS OF POWDER, UNDERGOING THE PROCESS OF DRYING. THE SPREAD OF THE FIRE WAS SO RAPID THAT IT WAS FOUND IMPOSSIBLE TO SAVE ANY OF THE POWDER! MR. CARLIN'S HOUSE WAS A GOOD DEAL DAMAGED, AND HIS OTHER BUILDINGS WERE MUCH SHATTERED. LOSS ESTIMATED AT ABOUT \$1,000; NO INSURANCE, OF COURSE.

(NASHUA TELEGRAPH.)

FARMERS NOTICE.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT A GENERAL MEETING OF THE FARMERS OF RUTLAND COUNTY BE HELD AT RUTLAND ON TUESDAY THE 27TH INST., TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE IMPORTANCE OF FORMING FOR THIS COUNTY AN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY UNDER THE LAW OF THE STATE PROVIDING FOR THE FORMATION OF SUCH SOCIETIES. ALL ARE EARNESTLY INVITED TO ATTEND.

THE OREGON NOTICE.

MESSRS. TRUMAN SMITH, GARRET DAVIS, AND C. B. SMITH, FROM THE COM. ON FOREIGN RELATIONS IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HAVE PRESENTED A MINORITY REPORT IN WHICH THEY ASSUME THAT THE AUTHORITY OF GIVING THE TWELVE MONTHS NOTICE TO ENGLAND, ABROGATING THE JOINT OCCUPANCY OF OREGON, RESTS ONLY WITH THE TREATY MAKING POWER; AND IN THIS OPINION THEY ARE ABLY SUSTAINED. IT WOULD APPEAR THAT PRESIDENT POLK, IN ASKING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO DO THAT WHICH BELONGS ONLY TO HIMSELF, AND THE SENATE TO DO—IS DISPOSED TO DODGE THE LIGHTNING FROM HIS OWN THUNDER.

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LATER NEWS FROM TEXAS BY A FEW DAYS WAS RECEIVED AT NEW ORLEANS ON THE 31ST ULT. THE RESULT OF THE RECENT ELECTION IN TEXAS WAS STILL, OWING TO BAD ROADS, NOT ASCERTAINED, BUT GEN. J. P. HENDERSON WAS THOUGHT WAS CERTAINLY CHOSEN GOVERNOR, AND HON. N. H. DARWELL, LIEUT. GOVERNOR.

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